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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: POS REGISTERING SYSTEM CAPABLE OF CHANGING A  
SALES ITEM TO ANOTHER SALES ITEM WITH SIMPLE  
OPERATION

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated August 5, 2004, and the Advisory Action dated April 7, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

A petition for extension of time is filed herewith, making this response timely.

**An Amendment to the claims** begin on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this document.

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